

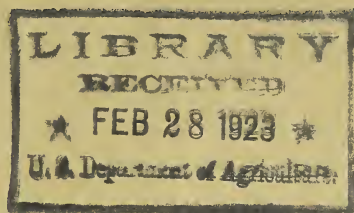
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# **HILL'S EVERGREEN INTRODUCTIONS**

**THE D. HILL NURSERY CO., Inc.**

Evergreen Specialists — Largest Growers in America

**DUNDEE, ILLINOIS**





# Our New Introductions

Hill's Silver Juniper

Hill's Dwarf Mountain Pine

Hill's Pyramidal Arbor Vitae

Hill's Waukegan Juniper





Hill's Pyramidal Arbor Vitae



# Hill's Pyramidal Arbor Vitae

(*Thuja Pyramidalis*)

The growth of Hill's Pyramidal Arbor Vitae is close, compact and regular—extremely narrow and pyramidal. Specimens twenty feet high seldom measure over two feet in diameter at the base. On this account it is ideal for formal uses.

The beautiful dark green color is retained all winter, a feature of great importance where fresh green winter effects are needed.

Hill's Pyramidal Arbor Vitae looks well with almost any surroundings. It requires but little space and is therefore well suited for planting near the house in foundation plantings or to give accent to the entrance.

Hill's Pyramidal Arbor Vitae also makes an ideal Evergreen for winter window boxes and tubbing.

It has been used as far north as Minneapolis and has met with hearty approval. It stands the winters without losing its attractive green color. It has also given wonderful satisfaction in the Eastern and even Pacific Coast States.

We have been developing Evergreens for many years and have observed many types of Pyramidal Arbor Vitae under all conditions of soil and climate. We offer this improved strain with full assurance that it marks a decided improvement well worthy of your attention.

Hill's Pyramidal Arbor Vitae can be supplied direct from our Nursery or through your local Nurseryman, Florist or Landscape Architect.

See inside back cover for prices.





## Hill's Dwarf Mountain Pine

(*Pinus Mugho Compacta*)

A glance at the picture on this page will give a better idea of this charming little Evergreen than anything we can say about it. It branches out close to the ground, with eight or ten stems that spread out horizontally then turn upward in even, regular growth. In the spring the whitish-green stems of the new season's growth resemble tiny candles. The effect is beautiful.

The foliage is very dense and compact in contrast to open, irregular and half upright habit of some strains of Mountain Pine. The color is dark green summer and winter.

The scope of its usefulness in landscaping is almost unlimited. It is excellent for foundation groups, or low borders. It never grows over four to five feet high, but spreads out six or eight feet when full grown. By annual shearing of the new growth it can be kept as small as desired.

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The compact regular growing characteristics of Hill's Dwarf Mountain Pine are clearly shown in this picture, taken on our grounds



# Hill's Waukegan Juniper

*(Juniperus Sabina Prostrata)*

This interesting new creeping Juniper has a number of distinctive features which make it by all means the most desirable introduction in creepers in recent years. The growth is very low and compact, making a dense mat, in contrast to the open growth of some varieties.

The exquisite color first attracts attention. It is soft blue in spring and summer, changing to a rich purple color in late fall. The contrast of colors at different seasons gives it a distinction not found in other varieties. A few of these little trees give new life and interest to a planting of darker green varieties of Evergreens.

It is not particular as to soil conditions. It grows equally well in rich garden soil or on rocky slopes, terraces, etc. It is unsurpassed as a ground cover where grass will not grow, for rock gardens, Japanese gardens or as edging to Evergreen borders.

It grows close to the ground, not over six to eight inches high, but spreads out a dozen feet or more, depending upon soil and planting conditions. See inside back cover for prices.



Hill's Waukegan Juniper

# Hill's Silver Juniper

(*Juniperus Scopulorum*)

The beautiful silvery blue color alone is sufficient to make anyone want to plant Hill's Silver Juniper, but the exquisite color (which it keeps at all seasons) is only one of its many interesting features.

Hill's Silver Juniper is narrow, compact, and symmetrical. It has one single stem, in contrast to some varieties of Junipers with several stems. This makes it safe from heavy snows and wind. The inner foliage does not turn brown, as in the Irish and Swedish Junipers, but remains a good, healthy color throughout the tree.

In the fall months the berries begin to appear, some of them clear sky-blue, others darker, and silver colored. The berries one-eighth inch in diameter are borne abundantly and make a great attraction for the song birds.

Hill's Silver Juniper can be used anywhere that Junipers are needed in landscaping. In foundation plantings, borders, groups, masses or individually, it can be planted with good taste. Its narrow habit of growth also makes it desirable in formal plantings or wherever a narrow Evergreen is needed.

It is a wonderful gem of beauty. It grows perfectly either North or South. One customer reports, "Hill's Silver Juniper planted on a hillside, without any protection and passing a few months thereafter through the hardest winter on record in New Jersey, are today in perfect condition and have made a wonderful growth."

Note.—Several additional distinct types are being developed and will be ready soon.

For prices see inside back cover.



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# The Home of Evergreens



In 1855, a small nursery devoted exclusively to Evergreens was started at Dundee, Illinois, only thirty-five miles northwest of Chicago.

Nature could not have provided a more fertile, soil-perfect country for growing Evergreens. The Hill Nursery is located in the famous Fox River Valley, in a prosperous farming district, just far enough north to insure hardiness and just far enough south for good substantial growth. We extend to all a hearty invitation to visit the Home of Evergreens.

The Hill Nursery has now expanded until at the present time it covers a space of over 500 acres. The straight rows of symmetrical Evergreens and well cultivated, clean blocks of trees, suggest to any visitor the great care given to all Hill Evergreens.

There is a wide range of varieties and sizes to choose from. Sorts of every shape from the tall and stately to the half erect and prostrate forms for every purpose. You get genuine pleasure in the possession of such thrifty, vigorous trees.

An investment in Hill Evergreens on your place will prove a source of satisfaction for a lifetime and trees grow more beautiful each year.

## LANDSCAPE SERVICE

Should you desire the service of a competent Landscape Architect to assist you in the proper arrangement of your trees, we will gladly put you in touch with some one in your immediate locality. We are in direct communication with all the leading Landscape Architects and can easily refer you to some one best qualified to handle your problems.

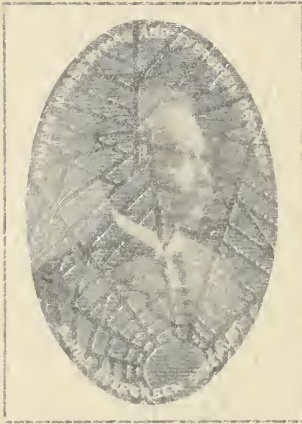


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